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he is not infallible. I love him & admire many of his qualities, but lament as deeply, some others. A master workman, as he is, ought not to think that the ripping of granite is all that is necessary to build & finish a house. The Lord instruct him.

I say none of these things in any pet. Lovejoy had his faults, & Garrison has his, & all of us have ours. In this great & holy cause, we shall do well to rely much on divine wisdom & strength, & to feel that we are men.

With prayer for your personal welfare & your increased usefulness in this noble cause & for its speedy triumph—

I remain, C. P. Grosvenor.

P. S. I hope that the case of Mr. Cook (22 Atkinson St.) will be thoroughly inquired into by Bro. S. G. Shipley & others, & if he is such a sufferer as he describes, that he will receive proper attentions. Bro. Waters & I have concluded to send for him to come up hither & let us see & hear him se. His family will, however, remain in B. for the present, at least. Can you give this matter a little care? C. P. G.—



Silas Ripley, N. Marshfield, signed our Letter to Eng. Bapt. as did  
Silas Root, Granville - E. C. Messinger, Middleboro. Nathl. Harvey,  
then of Marblehead - Rich<sup>d</sup> Griffin, Granville - Lyssander Fay, Athol -  
Seth Ewer, then at Haverhill - Rob<sup>t</sup> B. Dickey, Hanover - Wm H. Dal-  
rymple, Abington - Jas M. Coby, N. Randolph - Danl M. Crane,  
Middleboro - Simon Crowell, Yarmouth - Elisha (Cushman), Ply-  
mouth - Olio Converse, Westboro - Francis Barker, Hanson -  
Saml Adlam, then at Newton. Mr. G. Waters of Holden is now  
writing to the Brn in this Co. to ascertain - you may learn from  
him shortly. I think your inform<sup>n</sup> will be much more accurate,  
if you write to the men, pointed out as above, as they are sta-  
tioned in diff<sup>t</sup> sect<sup>s</sup> of the state. There are various reasons  
why some true ab<sup>ly</sup> do not join Soc<sup>y</sup>, certain influences  
may deter some - no Soc. near them, others - erroneous notions  
touching A. S. Soc<sup>y</sup> - others ~~the~~ &c.

Be assured I do let "compliments of Recorders pass" as well as  
censures of —. I mean to do my duty & the time may  
come, when certain will know that I have done it.

I have not done & suffered enough yet to ~~my~~  
sincerity to some minds. H. B. Stanton may  
some time know that he has injured a man unneces-  
sarily, at least, and one too who has rendered him  
some aid. But let this pass - & also the fact that  
I have rendered myself bankrupt &c.

Of one thing I am certain - that I never put my hand to  
the work by influence, neither shall I withdraw it  
for any such reason. Wounds in the hands of a friend  
are not precious comforts, I know, but let all pass.  
The prospect is that something will yet be accomplished  
in Worcester. I pray that we may have wisdom to do some-  
thing right, & not destroy more than we accomplish.  
I am sorry that our good Brn<sup>s</sup> <sup>Fitch & Towne</sup> (for they are such) that proper  
to pursue the course they did, & I am equally sorry that our  
good brother <sup>Garrison</sup> (for he is such) has not yet learned that even



Rev. C. P. Grosvenor

Rutland Dec. 19. 1837.

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Dear Brother Phelps,

Yours of yesterday has just been put into my hands, and as I may not be able to give you any more information, if I delay than now. I am sorry that this will be so scanty. But for unholy influence emanating from near the spot where your letter is dated, I believe there are not six Baptist ministers in Mass. west of the East line of Wor. Co. who wd not, before this time, have declared themselves distinctly for Emancipation. D. D. B. - D. D. S. - Rev. E. T. Ed - of W. - and one or two more wise ones have been running up a fearful score in this matter. I will tell you what I am able, however, of the minds of my brethren. The following I consider stand at the & probably connected with A. S. S.

John Allen, Kingston <sup>to whom write</sup> - Henry Archibald, Newbury <sup>to whom write</sup> - Jos. Barnaby, Barnaby - Avery Briggs, Middleboro - Asa Bronson, Fall River - Jer<sup>ks</sup> J. Bridges, Southwick - Deut. Chapman, Barnstable - Henry Clark, Sutton - Thomas Conant, Brewster <sup>to whom write</sup> - J. O. Conly, N. Bedford. Isaac Child, Westfield - Ambrose Day, Westfield <sup>to whom write</sup> - ? Thos Driver, N. Dedham - (Jos. M. Driver, Salem) - John E. Forbush, Attleboro - P. B. Fisk, Heath <sup>to whom you may write & obtain much information about Franklin Co.</sup> - Jos. Glazier, Athol (who will inform about Wendell Assoc<sup>n</sup>) - John Green, Leicester - Silas Hall, Sharon - Wm Heath, N. Reading, who will inform of Middlesex Co. East side - Amasa Sanderson <sup>Proctor</sup> who will tell of Midd. Co. N. & N. sides. [Silas Kinsley, Chester] [Chas Miller, E. Cambridge] - David Pease <sup>to whom write</sup>, Williamstown - Isaac Sawyer, S. Reading - Conant Sawyer, Malden - B. Stow, Boston? - F. C. Tingley, Foxboro - Wm G. Trask, Taunton - John Walker, Barre - Geo. Waters, Holden - - Tracy, W. Boylston - Mason Ball, Princeton - Amherst Lamb, Charlemont - Alden, Principal of Acad. <sup>N. Boston</sup>, Shelburne Falls. - Brown, Westminster - Clapp, Gardner -